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In re application of:

Arun K. Gupta

Docket No.:

102157-100

Serial No.:

09/651,226

Art Unit:

2175

Filed:

August 30, 2000 Examiner:

Spiegel, Michael A.

Assignee:

NeuVis, Incorporated

Title:

AN OBJECT ORIENTED BASED, BUSINESS CLASS

METHODOLOGY FOR PERFORMING DATA METRIC ANALYSIS

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AMENDMENT TRANSMITTAL LETTER

Hon. Commissioner for Patents U.S. Patent and Trademark Office Washington, DC 20231

Dear Sir:

Transmitted herewith is an amendment in the above-identified application. The fees have been calculated as shown below:

1. Claim Fees

| , | | CLAIM A | MENDMENT FEE | CALCULATION | N | |
|------------------|---|---------|---|-----------------------------|-----------|-------------------|
| | Claims Remaining After Amendment | Minus | Highest Number Previously Paid for | No. of extra claims present | Rate | Additional Fee |
| Total Claims | 16 | - | 20 | 0 | x \$18.00 | \$0.00 |
| Indep. Claims | 3 | - | 3 | 0 | x \$84.00 | \$0.00 |
| Multiple Depe | \$0.00 | | | | | |
| TOTAL FE | \$0.00 | | | | | |

[X]No additional claim fees are required. Ser. No.: 09/651,226

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2. Extension of Time

| [] | Applicant requests under the provisions of 37 | CFR 1.136 (a) to extend the period |
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| | for filing a response in the above-identified ap | plication. The requested extension |
| | and appropriate non-small-entity fee are as foll | ows: |
| | One month (37 CFR 1.17 (a)(1)) | \$ 110.00 |
| | [] Two months (37 CFR 1.17(a)(2)) | \$ 400.00 |
| | Three months (37 CFR 1.17(a)(3)) | \$ 920.00 |
| | [] Four months (37 CFR 1.17(a)(4)) | \$1,440.00 |
| | Five months (37 CFR 1.17(a)(5)) | \$1,960.00 |
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3. Terminal Disclaimer

[] A Terminal Disclaimer is attached for which the appropriate non-small-entity fee (37 CFR 1.20(d)) is \$110.00.

4. Other

[] The following additional items are enclosed: A.

5. Payment of Fees

The total of non-small-entity fees due under Sections 1-4, above, is \$0.00.

- [] Applicant is a small entity under 37 CFR 1.9 and 1.27, therefore the fee amount shown above is reduced by one-half, and the resulting total of fees due is: \$0.00.
- A check in amount of the total of fees due is attached.
- [] Please charge \$ 0.00 to Deposit Account No. <u>23-1665</u>. An additional copy of this transmittal is enclosed.
- [X] Please charge any deficiencies or additional fees or credit overpayment to Deposit Account No. 23-1665.

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Respectfully submitted, Arun K. Gupta

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AMENDMENT AND REPLY TO OFFICE ACTION UNDER 37 CFR 1.121

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Dear Sir:

In reference to the above-identified patent application, this is a response to an Office Action having a mailing date of July 31, 2002 and a statutory period for response that expires on October 31, 2002.

Please amend the above-identified patent application as follows.